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In re Application of :  
Hirofumi Yamagiwa :  
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a), filed June 9, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to respond to the non-final Office action mailed April 19, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three-months from its mailing date. Extensions of the time set for reply were available pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). No response was received within the allowable period, and the application became abandoned on July 20, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 3, 2006.

The amendment filed June 9, 2006, is noted and made of record.

The file is now being forwarded to Technology Center 2600, GAU 2616 for further processing.

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